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TO: Mr. L. Britt Snider
Select Committee on Intelligence
United States Senate

Dear Britt:

Per our recent discussions, attached is a copy of Section 4501 of the "Byrd" draft of the omnibus drug legislation: "Use of Existing Federal Research and Development Facilities for Civilian Law Enforcement."

While toned down from the more expansive version of its predecessor, S. 2205, problems remain: Subsection (a) and (b) continue to encompass CIA and NSA and Subsection (d) provides for Comptroller General oversight of the entire process.

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1 Patrol drug enforcement personnel, including spare parts for
2 helicopters; 4-wheel drive law enforcement vehicles; and
3 initial procurement of mobile sensor response system and
4 electronic intrusion detection, and for related operation and
5 maintenance expenses.

6 SEC. 4402. IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE/BORDER

7 PATROL DRUG INTERDICTION PERSONNEL ENHANCEMENT.

8 There is authorized to be appropriated for salaries and
9 expenses of the Border Patrol within the Department of
10 Justice for fiscal year 1989, \$20,000,000: Provided, That
11 such appropriation shall be in addition to any appropriations
12 requested by the President in his budget presented to the
13 Congress on February 18, 1988, or appropriated in any regular
14 appropriations Act or continuing resolutions for the fiscal
15 year ending on September 30, 1989: Provided further, That
16 such additional appropriation shall be used to increase drug
17 interdiction officers of the Border Patrol by no fewer than
18 500 full-time equivalent positions over the level of such
19 personnel onboard at the Border Patrol as of September 30,
20 1988, and for related equipment.

21 Subtitle E--Research and Development Programs to Assist

22 Federal Enforcement Agencies

23 SEC. 4501. USE OF EXISTING FEDERAL RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT

24 FACILITIES FOR CIVILIAN LAW ENFORCEMENT.

25 (a) Comprehensive Plan.--The President of the United

1 States shall direct the Office of National Drug Control
2 Policy, established in section 1005 of this Act, to develop a
3 comprehensive plan for utilizing no fewer than eight existing
4 facilities of the Department of Defense, the Department of
5 Justice, the Department of Energy, National Security Agency,
6 and the Central Intelligence Agency, to develop technologies
7 for application to Federal law enforcement agency missions,
8 and to provide research, development, technology, and
9 evaluation support to the law enforcement agencies of the
10 Federal Government. Such plan shall be prepared and submitted
11 to the Congress by no later than 90 days from the date of
12 enactment of this Act.

13 (b) Existing Facilities To Be Examined.--The following
4 existing United States Government facilities shall be
15 examined in developing the comprehensive plan mandated in
16 subsection (a):

17 (1) For night vision research and development--
18 Department of Defense, Army Materiel Command, Night
19 Vision Laboratory at Fort Belvoir, Virginia;

20 (2) For ground sensor research and development--
21 Department of Defense, Army Materiel Command,
22 Communications Electronic Command, Fort Monmouth, New
23 Jersey;

24 (3) For physical/electronic security research and
25 development--Department of Defense, Air Force Systems

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1 Command, Electronic Systems Division, Hanscom Field,
2 Massachusetts;

3 (4) For imaging/electronic surveillance research and
4 development--Central Intelligence Agency and National
5 Security Agency, Washington, DC;

6 (5) For chemical/biosensor research and development--
7 Department of Defense, Army Materiel Command, Chemical
8 Research Development and Engineering Center, Aberdeen,
9 Maryland;

10 (6) For chemical/molecular detector research and
11 development--Department of Energy, Sandia National
12 Laboratories, Albuquerque, New Mexico;

13 (7) For physical/electronic surveillance and tracking,
14 research and development--Department of Justice, Federal
15 Bureau of Investigation and Drug Enforcement
16 Administration, Washington, DC; and

17 (8) For explosives ordnance detection research and
18 development--Department of Defense, Naval Ordnance
19 Station, Indian Head, Maryland.

20 (c) Participation.--In developing the plan mandated in
21 subsection (a), the Director of National Drug Control Policy
22 shall ensure that representatives of the Federal law
23 enforcement agencies are provided an opportunity to
24 participate in the formulation of the comprehensive plan and
25 that their views and recommendations are integrated into the

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1 planning process.

2 (d) Comptroller General Oversight.--The Comptroller
3 General of the United States shall monitor the development of
4 the plan mandated in subsection (a) and report periodically
5 to the appropriate Committees of the Congress on the progress
6 of the development of this research and development program.

7 SEC. 4502. CARGO CONTAINER DRUG DETECTION RESEARCH AND
8 DEVELOPMENT.

9 (a) Authorization of Appropriations.--There is authorized
10 to be appropriated to the United States Customs Service for
11 fiscal year 1989, \$5,000,000: Provided, That such
12 appropriation shall be in addition to any appropriations
13 requested by the President in his fiscal year 1989 budget as
14 presented to the Congress on February 18, 1988, or provided
15 in regular appropriations Acts or continuing resolutions for
16 the fiscal year ending September 30, 1989: Provided further,
17 That such additional appropriation shall be used only for
18 accelerating the development and availability of X-ray
19 detection, nitrate detection, or other technologies to be
20 utilized for the detection of illegal narcotics in cargo
21 containers entering the United States at seaports, airports,
22 and land borders.

23 (b) Coordination.--The Commissioner of Customs shall
24 coordinate and share the findings of the research and
25 development authorized in subsection (a) with other Federal